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In re Application of:

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For: METHOD FOR SEARCHING INFORMATION ON INTERNET

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is responsive to the Office Action dated December 14, 2004 in the above application. In view of the following amendments and remarks, reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Please amend the present application in accordance with the following particulars:

In the Abstract

A new abstract is presented below under the heading "Amendment of Abstract."

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In the Drawings

An amendment of the drawings is provided in the "Replacement Sheets" representing FIGS. 1-6.

In the Claims

An amendment of the claims is presented below under the heading "Amendment of the Claims."